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RESPONSE TO EX PARTE QUAYLE

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In response to the Office Action dated December 19, 2005 and pursuant to *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 1435 O.G. 213, please amend the above-identified application as follows.